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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Re:

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For: Inventor:

Oxygen Mask

Our Ref:

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G. Thomas Wolf

Sir:

The following correspondence is being submitted for appropriate action by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office via electronic transmission:

Cover letter, and

Status Request, including a copy of the Bibliographic data sheet for the abovementioned application.

It is respectfully requested that the following response be considered by the Examiner.

If the Patent Office believes that prosecution may be more efficiently handled by telephone communication, please contact the undersigned at the above telephone number.

Respectfully submitted,

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